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<b>PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT</b>		Docket No. O0003/7000
Applicant:	Valery Kagan	
Serial No:	10/612,272	
Filed:	July 2, 2003	
For:	APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR INDUCTIVE HEATING	
Examiner:	Philip H. Leung	
Art Unit:	3742	

Commissioner for Patents  
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Applicant submits this preliminary amendment along with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE). Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the claims begin on the following page.

Remarks/Arguments follow the amendments to the claims.